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*The Thomas J. Watson Meetings*

*You are cordially invited to attend*

*a Luncheon  
in honor of*

WAYNE SMITH  
Former Chief of Mission, U.S. Interests Section, Havana

at the Harold Pratt House

Thursday, November 18, 1982  
12:30 - 2:15 pm

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David L. Aaron  
Director, Oppenheimer International Ltd.  
will preside

Wayne Smith served in the U.S. Marines in Korea and returned to study at the Universidad de las Americas, Mexico, where he received his B.A. and M.A. He has since studied at Columbia and at George Washington University, earning two more M.A.'s and a Ph.D. In 1957, he became involved in Cuban affairs, serving as an analyst and subsequently as Third Secretary of Political Affairs in the U.S. Embassy in Havana until 1961. Other assignments have included political and economic work in Recife, Brazil; in Moscow; and in Buenos Aires; as well as three years on the Soviet Desk at the Department of State. His contact with Cuba continued at intervals; he served at the Department of State as Cuban Desk Officer between 1964-66, and as Director of Cuban Affairs from 1977-79; he then served as Chief of Mission of the U.S. Interests Section in Havana, 1979-82. He resigned from the Foreign Service in June, 1982 and is currently a Senior Associate at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. His article "Dateline Havana: Myopic Diplomacy" has recently been published in Foreign Policy.

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